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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22314

Dear Sir,

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated June 19, 2006 please find the Supplemental Amendment in 6 pages.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees required in connection with the filing of this paper to account No.: 50-2620 (Order No.:12476-US-PA).

Thank you for your assistance in the subject matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully Submitted,

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

United States Patent and Trademark Office Customer Service Window, Mail Stop <u>Amendment</u> Randolph Building 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314

Dear Sir:

The Office Action mailed on June 19, 2006 has been carefully considered. Prior to the examination on merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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